

Department of Public Health and Social Services
Division of Public Welfare
Bureau of Social Services Administration

CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT STATISTICS

Child Protective Services (CPS) Section

	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016
CPS Referrals Received	1988	1894	1548	1492	1389
Total Number of Children, Subject of CPS Report	3064	2747	2300	2185	2147
CPS Referrals by Maltreatment Type	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016
Physical Abuse	941	797	711	658	608
Sexual Abuse	524	423	302	370	303
Emotional Abuse	644	580	519	505	491
Neglect – Physical	295	260	222	649	1052
Neglect – Medical	276	240	240	99	
Neglect – Abandonment	126	102	144	20	
Neglect – Educational	234	240	201	160	166
Neglect – Emotional	123	105	91	123	181
Neglect – Lack of Adult Supervision	460	443	411	74	
Neglect – Deprivation of Necessities	3	23	73	0	
Other Neglect/Child Risk Factors					
Referrals Involving Teen Pregnancy	62	65	99	70	50
Referrals Involving Children At-risk Due to Drug Use by Caretakers	278	294	172	169	229
Referrals Involving Exposure to Family Violence	144	149	147	178	111
Referrals involving Homelessness	0	0	0	14	47
Referrals Involving Alcohol Abuse by Caretakers	218	124	107	54	71
Referrals Involving Teen Suicide	12	40	5	10	16
Other: (referrals involving run-away youths, custody, court-ordered risk assessments, expulsion of a child from home, children in need of services, lack of a guardian, etc.)	94	224	237	49	8
Unknown	0	0	0	8	3
Maltreatment Total	4434	4109	3681	3210	3336

Note: Some minors may have more than one maltreatment.

As of October 18, 2016/PMS